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 NEOPLASTIC CELLS WITH A VIRUS

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In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants hereby submit the following information in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. A copy of the disclosed reference is attached herewith.

1. Bryson, J.S. and D.C. Cox, "Characteristics of reovirus-mediated chemoimmunotherapy of murine L1210 leukemia", Cancer Immunol. Immunother. 26: 132-138 (1988).

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